

Remarks and Arguments

Claims 1-4, 6, 7, 9 and 10 are pending in this application.

I. Double Patenting


Applicants have filed a power of attorney appointing all practitioners associated with Customer No. 22869 and have resubmitted the previously filed terminal disclaimer. Applicants believe the outstanding rejections are now obviated.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request the reconsideration and reexamination of this application and the timely allowance of the pending claims.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this filing and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account No. 07-1139, referencing the docket number indicated above.

Respectfully submitted,



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